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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: CHANGE TO THE SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION ON GRANULAR POLYTETRAFLUORETHYLENE RESIN FROM ITALY (A-475-703)

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TO: REGIONAL DIRECTORS, COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS DISTRICT DIRECTORS. AREA AND PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION

RE: CHANGE TO THE SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION ON GRANULAR POLYTETRAFLUORETHYLENE RESIN FROM ITALY (A-475-703)

- 1. ON APRIL 30, 1993, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ISSUED A FINAL AFFIRMATIVE DETERMINATION IN ITS INQUIRY INTO THE POSSIBLE CIRCUMVENTION OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER ON GRANULAR POLYTETRAFLUOROETHYLENE (PTFE) RESIN FROM ITALY.
- 2. THIS FINAL DETERMINATION AFFIRMS OUR AUGUST 31, 1992,
 PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION THAT AN ITALIAN COMPANY AND A
 RELATED PARTY IN THE UNITED STATES ARE CIRCUMVENTING THE
 ORDER BY IMPORTING PTFE WET RAW POLYMER, WHICH WAS NOT

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SUBJECT TO DUMPING DUTIES, INTO THE UNITED STATES AND PROCESSING IT INTO GRANULAR PTFE RESIN.

- 3. PTFE WET RAW POLYMER CONSISTS OF STRINGY OR FIBROUS MASSES OF UNEVEN, NON-UNIFORM AND ENTANGLED STRANDS. THE STRANDS OF PTFE WET RAW POLYMER ARE WHITISH IN COLOR AND ARE PACKED IN LIQUID.
- 4. BASED ON ITS FINAL AFFIRMATIVE DETERMINATION OF CIRCUMVENTION, THE DEPARTMENT HAS DETERMINED TO INCLUDE PTFE WET RAW POLYMER WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY ORDER ON GRANULAR PTFE RESIN FROM ITALY.
- 5. UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE, CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION AND REQUIRE A CASH DEPOSIT OF ESTIMATED DUTIES, AT THE APPLICABLE RATE, OF ALL ENTRIES OF PTFE WET RAW POLYMER MANUFACTURED IN ITALY, REGARDLESS OF MANUFACTURER OR IMPORTER, ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER AUGUST 31, 1992.

- 6. IN ACCORDANCE WITH PREVIOUS INSTRUCTIONS, CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF ENTRIES OF GRANULAR PTFE RESIN FROM ITALY.
- 7. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS PLEASE CONTACT THE IMPORT SPECIALIST DIVISION, OTHER AGENCY BRANCH, VIA E-MAIL USING ATTRIBUTE HQ OAB. THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT DAVID S. LEVY AT (202) 482-4733, OF THE OFFICE OF ANTIDUMPING COMPLIANCE, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.
- 8. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party